

APPENDIX A

Text of Contract A

The following contract has been concluded between Engineer Lt Col V. G. Andrejev (referred to as "orderer") and Dr. Engineer Giovanni Hilgers (referred to as "supplier").

1. The orderer has given an order for the development of a project for a technical testing stand according to the technical conditions set forth in the attachment. (See Appendix B)
2. The sum to be paid according to this contract is 150,000 RM (one hundred and fifty-thousand Reichsmark).
3. The supplier agrees to conform to these technical conditions.
4. The supplier agrees to do the work according to the following schedules and effect delivery to the orderer:

To be delivered by 14 February 1947:

- A) Fundamental factors upon which the project is based.
- B) Basic plan for the stand
  - a. mechanical
  - b. electrical.
- C) Short general estimate for the stand.
- D) Description of the stand and its mode of operation.

Upon delivery of this work, the supplier will receive from the ordered RM 75,000 (seventy-five thousand Reichsmark).

To be delivered by 14 February 1947:  
(sic, should probably read 14 March 1947)

- A) Working blue print for the entire stand.
- B) All theoretical calculations for the expected effectiveness of the stand.
- C) All calculations for the stand itself.
- D) All data for the electrical equipment of the stand.
- E) Directives for the adjustment of the stand.
- F) Operational directives for its use.

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5. The orderer agrees to fulfill the following conditions:

- A) An advance payment of RM 25,000 on 20 January 1947. This amount will be returned in two payments:
  - a. RM 10,000 on the date of the first payment (14 February 1947).
  - b. RM 15,000 on the date of the second payment (14 March 1947).
- B) Payment for the work finished according to the above-mentioned schedule will be made after delivery of finished work.

6. The contract also contains the following conditions:

- A) The orderer assumes no other obligations ~~other~~ than the payment of the above-quoted sums.
- B) The orderer reserves the right to be informed constantly on the progress of the work.
- C) The supplier agrees to finish, or cause to be finished, the stand on the orderer's request. The total sum will not exceed RM 250,000 (two hundred and fifty-thousand Reichsmark). The orderer agrees to sign the new contract which is to be completed 14 March 1947, the end of the first working period.

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